

Public Hearing: March 3, 2008

FACT SHEET

TITLE: Interlocal Agreement between the City of Lincoln and County of Lancaster to jointly purchase ROW for the East Beltway.

SPONSOR: Public Works and Utilities

OPPONENTS: Unknown

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval

State Project No. DPU-55(156), CN 12848; City Project No. 542702

OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED:
N/A

APPLICANT: Public Works & Utilities

REASON FOR LEGISLATION: To provide authority for the Mayor to execute an agreement between the City of Lincoln and the County of Lancaster to share equally, after using any available state and federal funds, the cost of right-of-way acquisition for the East Beltway project.

DISCUSSION

The East Beltway has been a part of the Long Range Transportation Plan and Lincoln/Lancaster County Comprehensive Plan since 2001 as a four lane freeway, generally located between 120th and 134th Streets, from Nebraska Highway 2 to Interstate 80. Preliminary design and corridor protection are in the final stages of completion for the East Beltway. It is important at this time to put in place the mechanisms necessary to allow the County and the City to acquire the required ROW through the corridor protection process along the East Beltway alignment.

POLICY OR PROGRAM CHANGE: No

COST OF PROJECT: N/A

SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A

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